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YASUO SUDA ET AL.
Application No.: 10/085,048
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CONCLUSION

It is respectfully requested that the above information be considered by the Examiner and that a copy of the enclosed Form PTO-1449 be returned indicating that such information has been considered.

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OTHER DOCUMENT(S) (Including Author, Title, Date, Pertinent Pages, Etc.)

European Search Report in Application No. 02004859.1-1235 (February 9, 2004).

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